MR. M. N. PILLAI (*Trivandrum*): Will the Goverment be pleased to take note of all these and protest against the high-handed action of the Inspectors of Schools?

PRESIDENT: You cannot insinuate. You can only put a question.

MR. M. N. PILLAI (*Trivandrum*): It is not an insinuation. It is a plaint fact.

PRESIDENT: I cannot allow you to argue or to draw inferences. You can only put a question. You should not go further. You must conform yourself to the rules of questioning.

MR. M. N. PILLAI (*Trivandrum*): My question is, why, when there were 374 applications from Brahmins, 320 from Nayars, 298 from Christians and so on, the number of Brahmins appointed is 73, while that of Nayars is 24, of Christians 33, and so on.

MR. S. PARAMESVARA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*): There is no rule as regards the proportional representation of communities in the matter of appointments.

MR. M. N. PILLAI (*Trivandrum*): Is it not unjust?

MR. S. PARAMESVARA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*): That is a matter of opinion.

MR. M. N. PILLAI (*Trivandrum*): Do the Government propose to order the Inspectors or the other authorities concerned in the matter of appointments to see that communal representation is given effect to?

MR. S. PARAMESVARA AIYAR): (*Secretary to Government*): I claim notice of that question.

*Castewar Statement of Appointments made by Messrs. S. Subrahmanya Sastri and A. Narayana Aiyar.*

277. MR. M. N. PILLAI (*Trivandrum*): (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to furnish a castewar statement of the appointments, temporary, acting and permanent, made by Messrs. S. Subrahmanya Sastri and A. Narayana Aiyar, the Inspector of Vernacular Schools and the Inspector of English Schools, respectively, after they assumed charge of their present posts?

(*b*) Are the Government aware that, in the matter of recruitment to appointments in the Education Department, Nairs and other non-Brahmin Hindus are placed at a disadvantage under the present Inspectors of Vernacular and English Schools?

MR. S. PARAMESVARA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*):

(*a*) A statement * giving the required information is laid on the table.

(*b*) No.

* *Vide* appendix IV – pages 995 and 996.

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# Appendix IV.

***Vide* Answer to Question No. 277.**

Castewar statement of appointments made by Mr. S. Subrahmanya Sastri M. A., Inspector of Vernacular Schools.

| Caste. | Acting. | Permanent. |
|---|---|---|
| Nayar ... ... | 89 | 11 |
| Maran ... ... | 1 | 1 |
| Kakkalan ... ... | 1 | 2 |
| Barber ... ... | 4 | 3 |
| Malayala Brahmin ... ... | 5 | 1 |
| Pandaram ... ... | 2 | ... |
| Chakkala Nayar ... ... | 2 | ... |
| Potti ... ... | 1 | 2 |
| Konkana Brahmin ... ... | 1 | 1 |
| Variar ... ... | 2 | ... |
| Marakkan ... ... | 1 | ... |
| Tandan ... .. | 1 | ... |
| Nadan .... ... | 6 | ... |
| Mahomedan ... ... | 14 | 11 |
| Christian ... ... | 34 | 9 |
| Maravan ... ... | 1 | ... |
| Chalian .... ... | 2 | ... |
| Vellala ... ... | 12 | ... |
| Tamil Brahmin ... ... | 34 | 6 |
| Ezhava ... ... | 21 | 4 |
| Vanian ... ... | 2 | 2 |
| Pondan ... ... | 2 | ... |
| Asari ... ... | 4 | 2 |
| Kanian ... ... | 5 | 1 |
| Arayan ... ... | 6 | 2 |
| Fisherman ... ... | 1 | ... |
| Washerman ... ... | 1 | 1 |
| Elayatu ... ... | 3 | ... |
| Paravan ... ... | 1 | ... |
| Paraya ... ... | 3 | 2 |
| Bharatiyar ... ... | 1 | ... |
| Pulaya ... ... | 2 | 3 |
| Aiyanavar ... ... | 3 | 3 |
| Cheramar ... ... | 1 | 1 |
| Kammalan ... ... | 1 | ... |
| Ezhavatti ... ... | 1 | ... |
| Chetti ... ... | ... | 1 |
| Pallan ... ... | 1 | ... |
| Samantan ... ... | 2 | ... |
| Kshatriya ... ... | 1 | ... |
| Sambavar ... ... | 1 | ... |
| Kusava ... ... | 1 | ... |
| Total ... | 277 | 69 |



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## Appendix IV.—(*contd.*)

By Mr. A. Narayana Aiyar B. A., L. T., Inspector of English Schools.

| Caste. | Acting. | Permanent. |
|---|---|---|
| Brahmin (Tamil) .. ... | 5 | |
| Nayar ... ... | 2 | 1 on probation. |
| Potti ... ... | 1 | |
| Total ... | 8 | |

## Appendix V.

***Vide* Answer to Question No. 279.**

Statement showing the interior forests inspected by the Conservator of Forests during 1098 and the number of days spent in each place.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Vedagiri Reserve | 17-4-98 | 1 day. |
| Poikamala Reserve | 27-4-98 | 1 day. |
| Koduman Reserve | 28 & 29-5-98 | 2 days. |
| Karikkattur Reserve | 17-8-98 | 1 day. |
| Alapra Reserve | 18-8-98 | 1 day. |
| Valiakavu Reserve | 19-8-98 | 1 day. |
| Koduman Reserve | 2-6-98 | 1 day. |
| Kadakkaman | 15-6-98 | 1 day. |
| Kuriattumala | 16-6-98 | 1 day. |
| Yerur and Ayiranallur Reserve | 2-7-98 | 1 day. |

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